## TOWN AND COUNTY ROAD AIDS

**Authorization:** s. 20.370(1)(mr) and 84.28

**Budget:** Fiscal Year 2003-2004 = \$0

Fiscal Year 2004-2005 = \$0

<u>Objective:</u> Provide funds to maintain the town and county roads that provide public use access to DNR recreation properties-parks, forests, recreation areas, the Lower Wisconsin River way and other public use areas.

**<u>Eligibility:</u>** Towns, unincorporated villages and counties with roads located within the boundaries of any state park, forest, or for roads that provide the primary access to DNR properties.

**Level of Assistance:** Up to 100% assistance depending upon priority and need.

## **Priorities:**

- ♦ Legal or contract commitments.
- ♦ Volume of DNR property generated traffic versus local traffic.
- ♦ Level of road deterioration and safety concerns.
- ♦ Local cost-share.

<u>Eligible Types of Projects:</u> Road renovation, resurfacing, reconstruction and maintenance necessary to limit deterioration and maintain safe public use of town and county roads in or providing access to DNR public use areas.

<u>Applications</u>: A letter of justification and a map depicting the road segment from town or county routed through DNR property manager to DNR, Bureau of Facilities and Lands, Facilities Management Section.

**<u>History:</u>** The previous level of \$350,000 for several years was increased to \$400,000 from Department of Transportation gas tax in 1989-91 budget.

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